

Summer Rec Camp 2007

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6. Field Trip Wavier & Payment Documentation; please read thoroughly with your campers. Must be signed and returned, this form will remain on-site. When registering for field trips, please sign each line indicating field trips your camper will be registered for.
7. North Hampton Recreation Summer Rec Registration & Youth Scholarship form. Must be returned before June 1, 2007 for part time camp, otherwise a \$15.00 Late Registration fee will be added.

The July and August calendars will be available June 15, 2007 online at www.northhampton-nh.gov and at the Town Offices and Library.



Dear Parents & Campers, —

Yes, siree, it's that time of year to sign up for summer rec again! Our mission this summer is to provide a safe and harmonious environment where campers can spend time with their friends while creating new ones.

Due to the success of Full Time, we are offering both part time and fulltime summer rec. Part time will still be a "drop in" basis, but the fulltime will need to be pre-registered bi-weekly. Field trips are Tuesday's and Thursday's (**exception's will be noted on the calendar**) & part time camp will still be held, unless otherwise noted on the calendar.

Speaking of field trips, please pre-register your camper(s) the week or Friday prior to the field trip, unless otherwise noted. Please understand that advanced registration and payment are **essential** to a successful summer as the planning and coordination of field trips take place the week prior to the field trip. There are also a limited number of seats available on the bus. Rain dates have been planned for most outdoor field trips; please see calendar and field trip list for rain dates. Calendars will be available at the town office, library and online at www.northhampton-nh.gov. Scheduled beach days camp will be held at North Hampton Beach from 9-12:00pm and campers should be dropped off and picked up promptly at North Hampton Beach.

Upon the return of the Camper/ Parent Rules & Regulations & the Field Trip Waiver, campers will receive their camp T-shirt the first day that they attend camp, and **is to be worn on ALL field trips as well as to the beach**. Please understand that this is an important safety precaution for your children and should be respected.

First time parents, we understand that this is a huge step for your children as well as yourself and we would like to make the transition as smooth as possible for all involved. Please call me if you would like to meet your children's summer rec counselor prior to the start of camp. The staff will be onsite the week earlier preparing for summer.

Camp and outdoor field trips will be cancelled due to hazardous weather conditions such as extreme heat temperatures of 90 degrees and above as well as severe rain and lightening. This important decision is based solely on the well being of the camper's and counselor's health. Heat stroke can also occur much earlier than one may feel or realize it. Some are more easily affected than others. Heat stroke can also become a very serious matter and should not be taken lightly. We rely heavily on our local weather channels, and make decisions based on their forecasts. We do apologize in advance for any inconvenience that this may cause in your daily planning. We thank you in advance for your support. There will a sign posted at the school driveway. It's a judgment call that is made for the benefit of all involved.

Summer Rec camp begins early this year, June 25-August 03, Monday through Friday; Part time is scheduled for 9:00 am -12:00 pm and fulltime is 9 am-3:30 pm. **There will be NO REC ON JULY 4, 2007.** For full time Rec, please send a lunch with your camper. Peanut butter is allowed **ONLY** in lunches. **Please, PLEASE DO NOT SEND YOUR CAMPERS TO REC WITH ANY SNACKS THAT CONTAINS PEANUT BUTTER.**

We have campers who attend camp who are severely allergic to peanuts. We all need to take every precaution to avoid this. This will be strictly monitored. Thank you for your support and cooperation.

Please note that there are three dates that there will be no part time on-site camp held due to a large participation rate on the field trips; July 12, 26 & 31, 2007.

Best to you & yours~

Diana Wheeler

North Hampton Recreation

Dear Parents, Campers and Friends-

It is really good to finally be back home and in the community where I grew up. I attended the North Hampton School and the nine years I spent at NHS were the years where I made some of my best life long friends and had some of the best experiences. I went on to attend Winnacunnet High School and completed my undergrad at the University of Vermont as a Middle Level Education major with concentrations in Math and Science. While a student at UVM, I worked with disadvantaged youth in a low-economic housing community in a program known as DREAM. The DREAM program provided activities and mentoring not only for the children but for the community as well. Throughout my four years at UVM I mentored a student and her family and together we created a special bond. At the end of my senior year, we planned, fundraised and supervised a trip to Alaska. Five college students, twelve children, five tents, two vans and the Alaska wilderness for three weeks- what an adventure! I'm excited to bring my experiences and ideas back to my community.

Being away for those 4 years made me appreciate the town of North Hampton and all it has to offer. For this reason I decided to move back to the Seacoast and for the past two years I have been teaching 7th grade Mathematics at Portsmouth Middle School. Even though I now reside in Portsmouth, Diane and the Rec Commission have offered me a great opportunity to come back and run the Summer Rec Program. I attended Rec when I was younger and also worked as a counselor and assistant director throughout high school and college.

This summer we have many great field trips planned including trips to Six Flags New England, Canobie Lake Park, a Fischer Cats Game, Water Country and many state beaches and parks. We also have many fun filled theme weeks including Survivor Week where come rain or shine campers will out-wit, out-last and out-play their fellow campers and counselors in physical as well as mental challenges. Some other weeks that will be included are American Idol/Celebrity Week, Water Week and Fiesta Week.

I look forward to working with and getting to know your children as well as to be working with some of the most incredible counselors this town has to offer. I'm excited to be spending a summer at home and I look forward to meeting you all on June 25th.

Best regards,
Andrea Heath

2007 Summer Rec Camp Field Trip Refrigerator Calendar



Scholarships are available to ALL North Hampton children.  Please do not have your child miss out! Please call Diane at 964-3170! All scholarships are strictly confidential.

date	time	Location	Rain day	Fee	notes
Tues. June 26	10:30am-3:30pm	Chunky's Theatre, Haverhill, MA	N/A	\$25	Fee includes admission, all u can eat pizza, drink. Popcorn & ice cream.
Thur. June 28	9am-3:30pm	Bear Brook State Park, Allenstown	Fri. June 29	\$15	Fee includes admission, bus, lunch (sandwiches, chips, drink, snack) Please send your camper with bathing suit, change of clothes, towels, & sun screen
Tues. July 3	9:30am-3:30pm	Pawtuckaway, Nottingham	June 29	\$15	Fee includes, park admission, bus, lunch/snack. Please send your camper with bathing suit, change of clothes, towels, & sun screen
Thur. July 5	9am-3:30pm	Aquaboggam Park, Saco	July 6	\$25	Fee includes admission to Hilltop,
Fri. July 6	9am-12pm	North Hampton Beach	N/A	Free	Drop off and pick up at beach, send camper with bathing suit, towel, sunscreen and snack.
Mon. July 9	10am-3:30pm	Fischer Cats VS Portland Sea Dogs, Manchester	TBD	\$25	Fee includes, premium seating, bus, Hot Diggity Dog,(1 dog, chips and drink)
Thur. July 12	9am-3:30pm	Water Country	Fri. July 13	\$20	Drop off & pick up at Water Country. Send camper with lunch or \$\$, bathing suit towel, & sun screen
Tues. July 17	10am-3:30pm	Jordans IMAX, Reading, MA to see the new Harry Potter Movie	N/A	\$30	Fee includes, admission, snack pak (popcorn/drink), lunch at Fuddruckers and bus.
Thur. July 19	10:30am-4pm	Fun Town SplashTown, Saco ME.	Fri. July 14	\$30	Fee includes, both parks, bus. Send camper with lunch or \$\$\$. Sunscreen
Fri. July 20	9am-12pm	North Hampton Beach	N/A	Free	Drop off and pick up at beach, send camper with bathing suit, towel, sunscreen and snack.
Tues. July 24	8am-6pm	Six Flags, Springfield MA	Wed. July 25	\$50	Fee includes, park admission, deluxe coach bus. Send camper with lunch or \$.
Thurs. July 26	9am-3:30pm	Water Country	Fri. July 27	\$20	Drop off & pick up at Water Country. Send camper with lunch or \$\$, bathing suit towel, & sun screen
Tues. July 31	10:30am-6pm	Canobie Lake Park, Salem	Wed, Aug. 1	\$35	Fee includes park admission & bus. Send camper with lunch or \$\$, towel, change of clothes, sunscreen.
Thurs. Aug 1	9am-3:30pm	Harold Parker State Forest, North Andover, MA	None	\$15	Fee includes park admission, lunch and bus. Send Sunscreen, bathing suit and towel.

2007 North Hampton Rec Summer Rec Program Information

DATES & TIMES TO BE HELD:

Begins Monday, June 25-August 3, 2007. **THERE WILL BE NO REC WEDNESDAY, JULY 4, 2006**

On-site Camp:

Part time: 9:00 am –12:00 pm- Monday-Friday

Full time: 8:30 am-3:30 pm. Before and Aftercare available at \$5.00 per day.

Field Trips: Generally run 9:00am -3:00 pm, Tuesday's and Thursday, unless rain date applies. **Please see field trip refrigerator calendar & waiver.** Field trip times also may vary and depend upon the opening times. If a trip is cancelled due to intense heat or rain, there may be a rain date scheduled. Please see the calendar for times and rain dates. **Also, due to large field trip enrollments, both Water Country trips and Canobie Lake, there will be NO ON-SITE camp scheduled.**

LOCATION:

North Hampton School. **Please do not call North Hampton School for summer rec information-this is not school sponsored.** Please call the Rec Dept at 964-3170. Thank you in advance for your support. **PLEASE do not leave your car unattended at any time while in the bus lane, as it may cause serious traffic jams on Atlantic Ave.**

REGISTRATION FEE:

Part time: \$155.00 (residents) & \$275.00 (non-residents) per camper & \$310.00 (residents) & \$550.00 (non-residents) family cap after two fully paid registrations. There is a scholarship fund available to those in need. **This is highly confidential.** Please do not hesitate to call Diane @964-3170 for more information. **Please do not let finances keep your child (ren) from attending this wonderful program.**

LATE FEE:

\$15.00 per child June 1, 2007. Exceptions made only to new residents who may have missed deadline. It is important to register on time, as there are many other factors: ordering t-shirts, hiring more staff if needed, etc...

REQUIREMENTS:

Open to all North Hampton residents and non-residents who have completed K- 8th Grade.

REGISTRATIONS:

Please complete the attached registration form and return check payable to **"Town Of North Hampton"** before June 1, 2007. Sizes cannot be guaranteed after the registration date due to pre-ordering. Please help us plan accordingly by early registration.

SAFETY GUIDELINES:

Part time Rec: Please do not drop off your camper(s) before 9:00 am, as the staff is setting up/meeting and cannot supervise your camper(s).

Full time Rec: Please do not drop off before 8:30 am, unless before care is in use. Prior arrangements need to be made for before/after care and prepaid by week.

Car-pooling is highly recommended due to the traffic build up on Atlantic Ave. A signed note provided with your children and given to the camper's head counselor is required. Bikers should cross Atlantic Ave. with the crosswalk counselor and must wear helmets. A parent or responsible adult must accompany all non-swimmers when on swimming trips. Thank you in advance.

***The North Hampton Recreation Department reserves the right to recommend that a child not continue to attend the Summer Rec Program if the Director's feel that the child's behavior is a detriment, disruption or a safety issue.**

***Part time Rec: Your child may attend Summer Rec each day, or on a drop-off basis. However, during planned field trips, your child MUST be pre-registered & paid for the Friday prior to the planned trips, unless otherwise noted.**

We thank you in advance for your cooperation and support of our program and its staff.

North Hampton Recreation Summer Camp 2007 Rules and Regulations

In order to have a safe and fun summer, we request that parents and campers read our camp expectations and rules together. Please sign and return ASAP. Your camper(s) will receive their camp T-shirt that they will need to wear in order to attend ANY/ALL field trips.

CAMPER EXPECTATIONS

We kindly request that campers:

1. Treat ALL staff and other campers with respect.
2. Respect others boundaries and space. Taunting or name-calling will NOT be tolerated.
3. Play in a safe manner.
4. Refrain from profanity.
5. Treat and use equipment properly and follow the rules for all of the activities they participate in.
6. Bike riders wear helmets while riding bikes.
7. Stay in supervised areas at ALL times.
8. Remain calm for group attendance & while staff are instructing games.
9. Feel comfortable to discuss with staff concerns or questions that they may have.
10. Take ownership of issues.
11. Bike riders need to check in.
12. Ask for permission before they leave an activity.
13. Wear their camp T-shirt to all field trips.
13. Remember...coming to summer camp is your choice☺

CAMPER SIGNATURE

DATE

PARENT EXPECTATIONS

We kindly request that parents:

1. Drop off children no earlier than 9:00 & pick them up no later than 12:10.
2. Turn in the permission slip & money due for the field trip(s) one-week prior. Please realize that there is a strict NH State ratio PER counselor & campers that we need to adhere to. Busses also need to be pre-ordered.
3. Inform counselors any change of pick-up plans/person with a written note, regardless of whether they are on your pick-up list. Communication is a plus!
4. Dress campers appropriately for activities/weather.
5. Put sunscreen on their campers.
6. Notify counselors of any medical/issues that may arise during summer camp.
7. Feel free to discuss concerns or questions with the directors at the appropriate time (after check-in/out) & not in the presence of campers or other parents not involved.
8. PLEASE understand the importance of why their camper(s) need to wear their camp T-shirts on ALL field trips. Please do not drop child (ren) off without the camp T-shirt that is provided for your child.
9. Please remember, that there is always another side to a story☺

SUMMER CAMP DISCIPLINE POLICY

1. The first warning is a verbal & visual "1" as followed in Magic 1-2-3.
2. The second warning is a verbal "2" and the camper may be temporarily removed from the activity for some time to think. Depending on the situation, the Director (s) may be brought in to help problem solve.
3. The third warning, the parents will be notified by the camp director (s) and asked to become involved with the situation.
4. Repeated behavioral issues may result in a temporary suspension from summer camp. ALL of the above steps will be ignored if camper (s) have been threatened/harmed physically or emotionally. Parents will be called ASAP and the camper may be suspended from the program for the remainder of the summer.

PHYSICAL OR VERBAL VIOLENCE WILL NOT BE TOLERATED AT ANY TIME!

We have read the expectations & policies & agree to abide by them. Your full support is greatly appreciated☺

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

DATE

This document needs to be turned into the Recreation Department before the camper attends camp.

North Hampton Recreation Department 2007 Summer Camp Field Trip Waiver

North Hampton Recreation Department will do their utmost to insure the safety of your child. But, in the case of accident or injury, I, the undersigned (as per my signature below), by registering my child (please print first and last name of participant)

_____, in the named program on this registration form, understand the nature and risk associated with participation in this activity. I hereby grant my child permission to participate. I am aware that the activity, equipment, and facilities may pose significant risk of injury. I am aware that each participant is responsible for his/her own safety. I hereby grant for myself, my heirs, executors, or administrators; waive and release any and all claims of damage we ever had or now have, against the Town of North Hampton, its successors and assigns, employees, agents and representatives for any and all kinds of injury, including but not limited to personal and/or property damage suffered by my child or my ward while participating in this activity.

DATE	FEE	LOCATION	DUE DATE	PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE
Tues. June 26	\$25	Chunky's, Haverhill, MA	6-22	
Thur. June 28	\$15	Bear Brook, Allentown, NH	6-22	
Tues. July 3	\$15	Pawtuckaway, Nottingham, NH	6-29	
Thurs. July 5	\$25	Aquaboggan Park	6-29	
Fri. July 6	Free	North Hampton Beach	7-6	
Mon. July 9	\$25	Fischer Cats, Manchester, NH	7-6	
Thurs. July 12	\$20	Water Country, Portsmouth, NH	7-6	
Tues. July 17	\$30	IMAX Theatre, Reading, MA	7-13	
Thurs. July 19	\$30	FunTown Splash Town, Saco, ME	7-13	
Fri July 20	Free	North Hampton Beach	7-13	
Tues. July 24	\$50	Six Flags, Springfield, MA	7-20	
Thurs. July 26	\$20	Water Country, Portsmouth, NH	7-20	
Tues. July 31	\$35	Canobie Lake Park, Salem, NH	7-27	
Thurs. Aug 2	\$15	Harold Parker State Park	7-27	

All campers MUST be pre-registered by the Friday PRIOR of each field trip. Please register your child on-site M/W/F with Jan DeVore. There are a limited amount of Fischer Cats and Six Flags tickets. This is on a first come first serve basis. NO refunds for these 2 trips. No refunds unless 48 hours notice for all other trips or unless seat is replaced.

NORTH HAMPTON RECREATION

2007 SUMMER REC CAMP REGISTRATION FORM

Adult or Responsible Party Information

Father's Last Name _____ First Name _____ Work Phone _____

Mother's Last Name _____ First Name _____ Work Phone _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Home Phone _____ Cell/Pager _____ Email: _____

Person to contact in case of emergency other than parent:

Name _____ Relationship _____ Phone _____

Address _____ Cell /Pager _____

Participant #1

Last Name _____ First Name _____ M/F _____ DOB _____

Grade attending in Fall _____ School _____

Please list any physical limitations/restrictions that may better service the participant _____

My child: IS a good swimmer _____ IS NOT a good swimmer _____

My child: IS allowed to walk or ride their bicycle to camp _____ IS NOT allowed to walk or ride their bicycle to camp _____

Does your child have a serious reaction to BEE STINGS? YES _____ NO _____ Does child have EPI pen? YES _____ NO _____

CAMP T-SHIRT ADULT SIZES: SMALL _____ MEDIUM _____ LARGE _____ X-LARGE _____

Participant #2

Last Name _____ First Name _____ M/F _____ DOB _____

Grade attending in Fall _____ School _____

Please list any physical limitations/restrictions that may better service the participant _____

My child: IS a good swimmer _____ IS NOT a good swimmer _____

My child: IS allowed to walk or ride their bicycle to camp _____ IS NOT allowed to walk or ride their bicycle to camp _____

Does your child have a serious reaction to BEE STINGS? YES _____ NO _____ Does child have EPI pen? YES _____ NO _____

CAMP T-SHIRT ADULT SIZES: SMALL _____ MEDIUM _____ LARGE _____ X-LARGE _____

Participant #3

Last Name _____ First Name _____ M/F _____ DOB _____

Grade attending in Fall _____ School _____

Please list any physical limitations/restrictions that may better service the participant _____

My child: IS a good swimmer _____ IS NOT a good swimmer _____

My child: IS allowed to walk or ride their bicycle to camp _____ IS NOT allowed to walk or ride their bicycle to camp _____

Does your child have a serious reaction to BEE STINGS? YES _____ NO _____ Does child have EPI pen? YES _____ NO _____

CAMP T-SHIRT ADULT SIZES: SMALL _____ MEDIUM _____ LARGE _____ X-LARGE _____

Is there any other medically related information our staff should know about your child so that he/she can safely participate in the Summer Recreation Program? _____

Do you give permission for your child's photo to be shared on the Recreation Department's web site or newspaper? YES NO

DESIGNATE those adults who have your permission to pick up your child from Summer Rec.

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

NOTES:

NON-SWIMMERS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY A PARENT OR RESPONSIBLE ADULT ON SWIMMING FIELDTRIPS.
ALL BIKERS/ROLLERBLADERS/SKATEBOARDERS MUST WEAR HELMETS.

PARENTAL PERMISSION AND WAIVER FOR CHILDREN – UNSIGNED WAIVERS WILL BE REJECTED

My son/daughter, as registered above, has my permission to participate in the above named program. I further release, absolve, indemnify and hold harmless the North Hampton Recreation Department staff, and the town of North Hampton, in the event of injury to my son/daughter. In the event of an emergency requiring medical attention, I authorize that necessary medical attention be given to my child by a qualified physician in the event I cannot be reached.

Signature of ParentGuardian _____ Date _____

The North Hampton Recreation Department maintains a scholarship fund to help assist North Hampton Youth that do not have the financial means to participate in our recreation programs.

Parent or Guardian's Name	Relationship to Child
If Guardian, Child Permanent Address (5 Days per week)	Parent or Guardian's Address
City/Town Zip Code	Work Phone # Home Phone #
Father/Guardian Place of Employment	Phone #
Mother/Guardian's Place of Employment	Phone #
Family's Monthly Income	Size of Family # of Adults # of Children
Participant's Name	Participant's Name
Amount of Fee Assistance Requested	Amount of Fee Assistance Requested
Amount of Fee Paid (must be 25%)	Amount of Fee Paid (must be 25%)
Parent/Guardian Signature	Date
FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:	
Approved/ Declined Amount of Scholarship Award _____ Amount Granted by the Department _____ Amount to be Paid by Participant _____	Referred by: _____ Reasons for Referral: _____ _____ Date participant is notified _____ Comments: _____ _____

Our Mission: We strive to enhance the quality of life for all citizens, regardless of age in our community by creating strong partnerships and providing a variety of recreational activities, special events and services that encourage life-long fitness and fun.

**North Hampton Recreation
Full Time Summer Rec Camp Pre-Payment**

Just fill out the prepayment form along with the Registration, Camp Rules and Regulations, Camp Field Trip Permission slip and return to the Recreation Department.

Using four easy installments, please check off the week (s) that your child (ren) are attending and deduct the \$100 non-refundable deposit per child. The next four installments should be made by April 20, May 4, 25, June 14, 2007.

_____ **Week One: June 25-June 29, 2007, \$100**

_____ **Week Two: July 2-July 6, 2007, \$100**

_____ **Week Three: July 9-July 13, 2007, \$100**

_____ **Week Four: July 16-July 20, 2007, \$100**

_____ **Week Five: July 23-July 27, 2007, \$110**

_____ **Week Six: July 30-August 3, 2007, \$100**

_____ **Sub-Total**

- \$100 Deposit

_____ **Remainder**

- _____ April 20, 2007 payment _____ Initials

_____ **Total Remaining**

- _____ May 4, 2007 payment _____ Initials

_____ **Total Remaining**

- _____ May 25, 2007 payment _____ Initials

_____ **Total Remaining**

- _____ June 14, 2007 payment _____ Initials

Name _____ Date _____

Camper's Name _____ Grade 07/08 _____

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